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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q78156

Kunio KAWAKAMI

Appln. No.: 10/694,437

Group Art Unit: 2861

Confirmation No.: 8918

Examiner: Hai Chi PHAM

Filed: October 28, 2003

For: RECORDING APPARATUS AND COMMUNICATION METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 8, 2005 to December 10, 2005.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$120.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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